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Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☒ Response to Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules; ☒ Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825; ☒ a paper and a copy of Sequence Listing in Computer Readable Form (CRF); and a copy of the Notice to Comply; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

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CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	-	* = 0	X \$9 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	-	** = 0	X \$40 =	\$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+ \$135 =	\$0.00
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